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### POST-WAR PLANNING

As leaders in the communities in which you work, are you helping to "plan now for the better world we aim to build"? Have you thought enough about that post-war world and so clarified your own ideas about the kind of world it should be that you can aid the thinking of our rural people so that they can "play their part in the determination of the kind of world in which they will live"? There are listed below a few books and articles that might be helpful to you.

American Academy of Political and Social Science, Annals. NUTRITION AND FOOD SUPPLY: THE WAR AND AFTER. 280.9 Am34

The four sections of this book are entitled: Science and nutrition, Food supplies and public policy, Consumption and distribution, Production and processing. Included are discussions of Department of Agriculture food programs. From the post-war angle, the articles "The Food Situation In A World At War," pp. 83-95, and "International Aspects of Postwar Food and Agriculture," pp. 122-28, are of interest.

American Economic Review, PAPERS AND PROCEEDINGS...March 1943.

Sections containing two or three articles each and entitled: Our Industrial Plant When Peace Comes, Our Labor Force When Peace Comes, The Future of International Investment, International Financial Relations After the War, The Restoration of International Trade, and from other sections two articles: "The Postwar Relationship Between Government and Business" and "Using Private Business Agencies to Achieve Public Goals in the Postwar World."

Chase, Stuart. THE ROAD WE ARE TRAVELING (280.12 C38R) and GOALS FOR AMERICA (280.12 C38Go) are the first two books in Mr. Chase's series of exploratory reports on postwar problems. They are brief, quite readable, and thought provoking. A third book in this series, WHERE'S THE MONEY COMING FROM, has been ordered and should be in the library soon. It is planned that three more books in the series will be published later.

Fortune, February 1943. "Draftsmen of the New World," by R. L. Buell, p. 128.

Holcombe, A. N. DEPENDENT AREAS IN THE POST-WAR WORLD. 280.12 W89

A plea for a policy designed to improve the status of dependent areas everywhere.

Institute of Public Affairs. Addresses. 280.9 In73 1942.

The Organization of Power in the Post-War World.

Design for a People's Peace, by Frederick L. Schuman.

Conflicting Trends in Post-War Planning, by P. E. Corbett.

After the War--What Kind of a World Economy?

Labor and the New World Economy, by L. L. Lorwin.

Agenda For Future World Trade, by A. R. Upgren.

The New Republic, March 22, 1943. "Charter for a New America," by Max Lerner. P. 369.



- The New Republic, April 12, 1943. "Britain After the War," by J. T. Harris, p.465.  
"When We Rebuild America," by Bruce Bliven, p. 473.  
Survey Graphic, January 1943. "The Beveridge Plan," by M. C. McGeachy, p.5.  
"Can Europe's Youth Be Salvaged?" by Heinz Soffner, p. 15.  
Survey Graphic, July 1943. "The Future of Europe," by G. D. H. Cole, p. 295.  
"Winning the Peace With Germany," by Heinz Soffner, p. 296.

## COOPERATIVES

It may well be that in the world of tomorrow, cooperatives will play an ever increasing part in bringing about freedom from want. Publications listed below will provide general information as well as specific information on the organization of cooperatives that would be useful in a community discussion group, for your own information, or in the actual task of organizing a cooperative.

- Alanne, V. S. FUNDAMENTALS OF CONSUMER COOPERATION. 280.2 N815  
Practical book for use of cooperatives. Listed in April NEWSLETTER.
- Brown, M. W., and others. HOW TO ORGANIZE GROUP HEALTH PLANS. 448 B813  
Contents: How to organize a group medical plan, The right to organize, The legal framework of organization, General principles of membership, Methods of enrollment, Finance, Some legal problems of operating plans.
- Callaway, R. P. "Organization and Operation of New Mexico Cooperative Cotton Gin Associations." New Mexico agri. exp. sta. bul. 293.  
"This study was undertaken to provide interested groups and individuals with information relating to the organization and operation of cooperative cotton gin associations. Such information should be of value not only to the management of existing associations, but also to groups of cotton growers interested in forming new associations."
- Clark, D. A., and Clark, K. G. ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION OF GROUP MEDICAL PRACTICE. 448 C541  
Contents: Origins and purposes of group medical practice, Administration, Scope and standards of service, Professional responsibility, Coordination of service, Medical services in periodic prepayment plans, Administrative organization and personnel, Appraisal of group medical services.
- Coady, M. M. MASTERS OF THEIR OWN DESTINY. 280.2 C63  
An inspirational background book that tells how the development of cooperatives and credit unions in Canada was brought about by education of the people through mass meetings and study groups.
- Cowling, Ellis. "A Short Introduction to Consumers Cooperation." 280.2 C832  
Background reading. Annotation in April NEWSLETTER.
- Garner, C. G. "Making Co-ops Succeed." Georgia agri. ext. ser. bul. 498.  
Contents: Basic factors (in success of undertaking); Membership, directors and employees' duties; General practices that are considered as essential to success; Some factors contributing to failure.
- Lazo, Hector. RETAILER COOPERATIVES: HOW TO RUN THEM. 280.2 L45  
Very practical. Annotation in NEWSLETTER of December 21, 1942.
- Richardson, Gerald. A B C OF COOPERATIVES. 280.2 R392  
A simply written, readable book that gives something of the history, principles, workings, of cooperatives here and abroad. Appendix contains model bylaws for a consumers' cooperative society (store).
- Stewart, M. S. "Cooperatives in the U. S. --A Balance Sheet." 280.9 P964  
Written to stimulate interest.

## INFLATION

The following publications on inflation contain information all Americans should know in order to help prevent inflation. The material is suitable for use of USDA Clubs, community study groups, or the individual reader. They are all brief pamphlets or articles.

How to check inflation.	Preventing inflation.
How to win on the home front.	"War finance and inflation," in The
The nation's program to control inflation.	American Economic Review. p. 235.
The farmer and inflation.	How you can help keep wartime prices
Farm land values and the war.	down.
Farm parity prices and the war.	"What economic stabilization means,"
Farmers and a stable economy.	in Victory, Dec. 22, 1942, p. 4.
The effects of inflation with special reference to farm people.	

## LATIN AMERICA

In the post-war world when nations will work together more closely than ever before, better understanding between nations will be more necessary than before. Now is a good time for us to gain an appreciation and understanding of the Latin American people and their problems. The following bulletins give worthwhile information.

Look at Latin America.

Latin America as a source of strategic and other essential materials.

The foreign trade of Latin America: Part I. Trade of Latin America with the world and with the United States.

Part II. Commercial policies and trade relations of individual Latin American American countries.

Vol. 1. The South American republics.

Vol. 2. Mexico and the republics of Central America and the West Indies.

Part III. Selected Latin American export commodities.

Pan American Union. Foreign Trade Series. (Statistical bulletins)

Mexico	Cuba
Bolivia	Guatemala
Peru	Brazil
Costa Rica	Colombia

The agriculture of Cuba.

The agriculture of Colombia.

Agricultural relations with Mexico. In FOREIGN AGRICULTURE, Nov. 1942.

The agriculture of Jamaica. In FOREIGN AGRICULTURE, April 1942.

The Americas: South and North. SURVEY GRAPHIC, March 1941.

An immensely interesting number of SURVEY GRAPHIC. The five parts are entitled: Calling the Americas, South and North; Links between the U. S. A. and Latin America; Regions touched with the future; The people--their stake in the Americas; Regular Survey Graphic features.

Ask me another: Questions and answers on the American republics.

## HEALTH

The health of the people of a nation is important at all times, but especially when a nation is at war and doctors and nurses are scarce, do we need to know more about



keeping well and about home nursing. The books listed below are all quite good.

Cooper, L. F., and others. NUTRITION IN HEALTH AND DISEASE. 389.1 C78

The parts of this book are entitled: Principles of nutrition, Diet in disease, Feeding of mother and child, Nutrition and health service, Food selection and cookery, Cooking for the sick and convalescent, Tabular material and special tests.

McCollum, E. V., and Becker, J. E. FOOD, NUTRITION AND HEALTH. 389.1 M13F

This 1940 edition is entirely rewritten and includes an account of the significance of recent scientific findings on vitamins, dietary properties food-stuffs, diet and disease.

Norlin, E. E., and Donaldson, B. M. EVERYDAY NURSING FOR THE EVERYDAY HOME. 448 N77

In presenting this simply written, most readable book, the aim of the authors was to introduce the principles and practice of scientific nursing to the everyday home. The contents is divided into two parts: Nursing to keep well, and Nursing when illness comes.

Olson, L. M. IMPROVISED EQUIPMENT IN THE HOME CARE OF THE SICK. 448 O18

This edition has sketches accompanying the instructions for providing all sorts of sick room equipment.

Trott, Lona L. RED CROSS HOME NURSING. 449 D37

This book is divided into four units: Health and happiness in home life, How the community protects the health of the home and family, How to take care of mother and baby, What to do when sickness invades the home.

#### COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Kenneth G. Crawford said, in P. M., "The new internationalism cannot be imposed solely from the top,...part of it must well up from the bottom, from democracy, and must be expressed in cooperation among peoples working together with mind and hand." Now when it is necessary to think of the post-war world, and then when the people are making the sort of a world they want, community meetings will help people to understand conditions, to think, and to work together. The following pamphlets offer helpful suggestions to community leaders.

Duthie, M. E. "Neighborhood Meetings in wartime." 275.29 N48E

McKee, Mary, and others. "Fun for 'Tight' Places." 275.29 I162P

Audience games and leader stunt suggestions for a large group meeting in a small place.

Nash, C. L. "Making Community Meetings 'Go'." 275.29 M58 F-35

Nash, C. L. "Making Group Discussion Meetings Click!" 275.29 M58 F-39

N. D. Agri. Ext. Ser. "Your Job As A Neighborhood Leader." 275.29 N812 A-35

Okla. Agri. Ext. Ser. "Neighborhood Leaders' Handbook." 275.29 Ok4C 380

Regnier, E. H. "Suggestions for Conducting Wartime Quiz Programs." 275.29 I162P

For additional material on community organization see NEWSLETTERS for Feb. 6, 1943, March 6, 1943, and April 1943.

#### SELECTED BOOKS AND BULLETINS

##### Economics

Billings, Beatrice E. "Spending and Saving in Wartime." N. H. agri. ext. ser., October 1942. 275.29 N45 245

- Doll, R. J. "Planning the Farm Business in South Central Kansas." Kansas agri. exp. sta., March 1943. 100 K13S(b) 312
- Spicer, Mildred, and others. "The Use of Consumer Credit by Missouri Farm Families." Missouri agri. exp. sta., September 1942. 100 M693(r) 351
- U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. "Rural Family Spending and Saving in Wartime." USDA misc. pub., June 1943. 1 Ag84M 520
- This bulletin is largely statistics.

#### Feeds and Feeding

- Hogan, A. G. "How to Choose Commercial Feeds." Missouri agri. exp. sta., Dec. 1942. 100 M693(c) 245
- Indiana Agricultural Extension Service. "Feeding Soybeans and Soybean Oil Meal." April 1943. 275.29 In2E 180
- Oklahoma Agricultural Experiment Station. "How to Feed Proteins in Wartime." July 1943. 100 Ok4(c) C-113
- Ragsdale, A. C. "Rations for Livestock and Poultry." Missouri agri. exp. sta., January 1943. 100 M693(c) 249

#### Fertilizers

- Smith, G. E. "The Value of Farm Manure." Missouri agri. exp. sta., January 1943. 100 M693(c) 248

#### Fire Prevention

- Beck, R. S. "Make Your Farm Safe!" Vermont agri. ext. ser., January 1943. 275.29 V59 656
- Ohio Agricultural Extension Service. "Fire on the Farm." February 1943. 275.29 Oh32 230

#### Radio

- Abbot, Waldo. HANDBOOK OF BROADCASTING. McGraw-Hill, 1937. 335 Ab2H
- Subtitle: How to broadcast effectively. Partial contents: Radio speaking, Writing commercial continuity, Preparing the radio address, Radio in public service.

#### Soils

- Joffe, J. S. PEDOLOGY. Rutgers Univ. Press, 1936.
- "This book is primarily 'a treatise on soils and their development. It is not a discussion of soil productivity.' ...The agronomist, the horticulturist, the forester, the practical dairyman, the irrigation engineer, the many other representatives of applied agriculture and the intelligent tiller of the soil will find in the presentation of the characteristics and properties of the zonal soil types valuable information applicable to their respective fields of study and their problems." From the Foreword.
- Smith, H. M., and Huckabee, J. W. Jr. "Soil Survey of Dimmitt County, Texas." 1 So32F Texas
- University of Arkansas. "Soils of Arkansas." Ark. agri. exp. station, 1935. 56.1 Ar4
- A typewritten analysis of the soils of Arkansas compiled by R. P. Bartholomew. The material is arranged alphabetically by soil types.

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